

## PRATES IN CLOSE GAME DEFEAT CUBS

Boston Loses Pitchers' Battle. Giants Go After Trolley-Dodgers.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Results Yesterday.

Philadelphia	2	Boston	0
New York	5	Brooklyn	3
St. Louis	7	Cincinnati	2
Pittsburgh	1	Chicago	0

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs	Won	Lost	P.C.
Pittsburgh	62	39	.614
New York	59	40	.590
Chicago	58	41	.586
Philadelphia	51	48	.510
Cincinnati	50	49	.505
Boston	46	57	.447
Brooklyn	44	59	.428
St. Louis	41	62	.398

Games To-Day.

Boston at Pittsburgh.

Cincinnati at St. Louis.

### Pittsburgh Wins in Well-Played Game.

PITTSBURGH, PA., August 13.—Pittsburgh won a close and extremely interesting game from Chicago by the score of 1 to 0. Both Leifield and Reulbach were strong with men on bases, but the visitors were unable to make hits when they were needed. Pittsburgh made the only run in the first inning on a base on balls, a sacrifice and a hit.

Score by innings: R. H. E.

Pittsburgh	1	0	0
Chicago	0	0	0

Batteries: Leifield and Gibson; Reulbach and Moran. Time, 1:25. Umpires, Johnstone and Emslie.

### Philadelphia Shut Out in Pitchers' Battle.

PHILADELPHIA, August 13.—Philadelphia shut out Boston to-day in a pitchers' battle between Moran and Dornier.

Score by innings: R. H. E.

Philadelphia	0	0	0
Boston	0	0	0

Batteries: Dornier and Graham; Moran and Dornier. Time, 1:35. Umpires, Higler and Ruderham.

### St. Louis Wins in Pitchers' Battle.

ST. LOUIS, MO., August 13.—St. Louis celebrated its homecoming this afternoon with a 7 to 0 victory over Cincinnati. A young Cincinnati recruit, was effective for five innings, but weakened in the sixth. Beebe held the visitors to three hits.

Score by innings: R. H. E.

St. Louis	7	0	0
Cincinnati	0	0	0

Batteries: Beebe and McGinnis; Dube and McLean. Time, 1:25. Umpire, Klem.

### Giants Win Rough Game on Slab Ar-

NEW YORK, August 13.—Ames was batted out of the box by the Brooklyn at the Polo Grounds to-day, but the New Yorks won the game largely through the poor pitching of McIntyre and Bell. Long hit by Donlin and Seymour counted.

Score by innings: R. H. E.

New York	9	2	0
Brooklyn	0	0	0

Batteries: McIntyre, Bell and Bergen; Ames, Mathewson and Bresnahan. Time, 1:40. Umpire, O'Day.

## SHAFER'S COLTS WIN OUT IN EIGHTH

Batting Rally Gives Them Five Runs and the Game—Schuman Wild.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ROANOKE, Va., August 13.—The Highlanders won the first game from Lynchburg this afternoon by a batting rally in the eighth, when five runs were scored. The score up to the eighth being 6 to 2 in Lynchburg's favor. Schuman, who started in to pitch for Lynchburg, was replaced by Hooker, the center fielder, in the eighth. Hooker was wild and hit hard. Reynolds was touched up lively throughout the game, but good fielding prevented more runs.

Score:

Roanoke	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Lehr, cf.	2	0	3	0	1	0
Kline, 1b.	4	0	1	0	0	0
McGhee, 2b.	4	1	3	0	1	0
Flanigan, 3b.	4	1	1	0	0	0
McMahon, ss.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Kunkle, c.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Reynolds, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	23	3	9	2	13	3

Score by innings: R. H. E.

Roanoke	6	2	0
Lynchburg	2	0	0

Summary: Two-base hit—McGhee. Three-base hit—Bentley. Bowin, Reynolds, Shafer, Stolen bases—Lehr (2), Kline, Kunkle. Struck out—By Reynolds, 1; by Shuman, 2. Base on balls—Off Hooker, 2; Off Reynolds, 1. Pitch—Hooker, 2; Reynolds, 2. Left on bases—Roanoke, 8; Lynchburg, 7. Hit by pitcher—Kline, Umpire, Hennegar. Time, 1:40. Attendance, 500.

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UNCLE SAM'S EAST AGGREGATION OF LETTER SORTERS.

## LAWMAKERS AGAIN TAKE IN TRUCKERS

Lipe's Colts Turn the Tide of Defeat in "Lucky Seventh." Byron's Work With the Indicator Superior—Quinn Bats a Three-Sacker—Sieber Plays Nice Game.

### VIRGINIA STATE LEAGUE

Results Yesterday.

Richmond	19	Portsmouth	5
Norfolk	2	Danville	6
Roanoke	3	Lynchburg	6

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs	Won	Lost	P.C.
Richmond	62	35	.635
Danville	61	36	.625
Roanoke	47	47	.500
Portsmouth	41	53	.438
Norfolk	42	52	.444
Lynchburg	37	53	.389

Games To-Day.

Portsmouth at Richmond.

Lynchburg at Roanoke.

Danville at Norfolk.

### The Lawmakers took the opening game of the week-end series from

Lawrence's Truckers here yesterday to the tune of 19 to 5. Only in one inning could the Portsmouth aggregation to the bushes and the rubbers and then they waited Quinn for five safe ones, and there, with two bases on balls, notted a score up to 19 to 5. Three of them earned.

The Truckers could not get another man across the home base during the rest of the game, however, while the Lawmakers' batting throughout the game, assisted by six errors on Portsmouth's part, gave the locals ten runs and the victory.

### Sieber played a pretty game, hav-

ing a five out-outs to his credit, his catch of Hallman's foul in the sixth being a pretty bit of work. He also secured a hot single, which aided materially in the run-getting, and he brought in Richmond's only earned run.

Quinn is surely a batting pitcher, he batted out a nice single and laid up against one of Hallman's twisters for a three-bagger, which is about the longest hit made here this season.

Wadleigh raised a rough house on a decision of Byron's in the first, when a kick was entirely unnecessary, and uncalled for. Stinson was sliding home and was clearly safe, and when Byron so declared him, Wadleigh moved Byron and things looked ugly for a while. Byron is one of the best and squarest umpires in the league, and his strictness has attracted attention to all the details of the game and perfectly fearless in the discharge of his duty. He also is swayed not a whit by the jeering or cheering of the spectators.

His work throughout the whole game was perfect, and he gives the public that umpiring of the popularity of the national game is due. Some day Byron is going to handle the indicator of the big league. If his good work continues as he has kept it up in this league during the present season, he will surely be a star.

Gnadinger made a nice catch of Sieber's fly to right, which looked good for a safe one, and he made a double at second unassisted, catching Ison, who started for third, believing that he had a safe one. He was wrong, and three errors chalked up against him do not represent bad playing, as the Truckers' manager went after every thing that came his way, and the errors were mostly the result of trying to handle difficult chances.

### A Few Things, and How They Came

About.

Richmond struck her gut right from the start, blanking the Truckers in their half of the frame, and in her portion getting two tallies. Lipe hit the ball on the nose and safed at first sack. Jay hit an easy one to Tuner, and Perry was known what's going on. Stinson batted to Lawrence and the Lilliputian threw wild to first, Kanzler crossing the rubber and Stinson getting on the same play, getting all under Wadleigh, who became infuriated and tried to rough the game little umpire, who cried: "Put him out!" and "Fine him!" and showed in no undecided way their disapproval of this exhibition of rowdism. But Byron, knowing that this exhibition of temper was done under the impulse of the moment, did not remove this offender from the game.

In the second, Portsmouth was blanked, and Richmond scored another on Sieber's nice single, Messitt's pretty sacrifice, which advanced the big left fielder to second, and Quinn's three-sacker, which allowed the twirler to amble in. When Quinn swatted the ball way out from the center fielder's hands, the delight of the crowd was a thing wonderful to behold, and the slab artist received a perfect volley of

### Richmond's

Players: AB. R. H. O. A. E.

Lawrence, ss.	5	1	1	3	0
Billet, 1b.	4	1	1	0	0
Gnadinger, rf.	5	0	1	1	0
Stinson, cf.	4	0	0	1	0
Wadleigh, c.	4	1	2	0	4
Hallman, p.	4	1	2	0	3
Totals	23	5	9	24	15

Score by innings: R. H. E.

Richmond	19	5	0
Portsmouth	5	0	0

Summary: Earned runs—Richmond, 19; Portsmouth, 5. Two-base hits—Stinson, 2; Wadleigh, 2. Three-base hit—Gnadinger. Home runs—Rhinehart, 2; Doyle, 1. Sacrifice hits—Fetzer, 1; Stinson, 1. Struck out—By Hanby, 2; Base on balls—Off Kline, 3; Off Hanby, 2. Batters hit—Bowler, Ryan. Passed balls—Evans, 1. Time of game, 2:10. Attendance, 1,800. Umpires, Maco and McKeever.

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